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TO DIRECTOR 44-1412 AND DALLAS 44-1639

FROM ATLANTA 44-1559

RE: JACK LEON RUBY, AKA. LEE HARVEY OSWALD - VICTIM (DECEASED).

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RE DALLAS TEL THIS DATE.

BLANEY MACK JOHNSON REINTERVIEWED THIS DATE. AFTER DETAILED INTERROGATION, JOHNSON FINALLY ADMITTED THAT HE COULD BE MISTAKEN ABOUT INDIVIDUAL HE KNEW AS JACK RUBENSTEIN BEING IDENTICAL WITH SUBJECT JACK RUBY. HE STATED INDIVIDUAL HE KNEW AS RUBENSTEIN DESCRIBED AS FIVE FT. NINE TO TEN INCHES, ONE HUNDRED SIXTY TO ONE HUNDRED SIXTYFIVE LBS., BLACK HAIR WITH FULL HEAD OF HAIR, HAIRLINE NOT RECEDING, MIDDLE FORTIES, ATHLETIC BUILD, WAS A GOLFER AND RESIDED IN THE RACKET CLUB IN MIAMI. STATED THAT RUBENSTEIN HAD PART INTEREST IN COLONIAL INN. JOHNSON ALSO STATED BOB VOLLMER OF THE RECORDS BUREAU, CITY OF MIAMI PD AND BILL GOULD, THE OWNER OF THE PLAYBOY CLUB, ARE INDIVIDUALS THAT SHOULD KNOW RUBENSTEIN AND WERE ALSO FAMILIAR ITH ALLEGED SMUGGLING OF GUNS TO CUBA IN THE EARLY FIFTIES. JOHNSON WAS ASKED TO GIVE A

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MORE DETAILED TIME OF HIS RESIDENCE IN MIAMI AND HIS ACQUAINTANCE-SHIP WITH RUBENSTEIN, AND HE STATED THIS WAS ABOUR THE TIME OF THE KEFAUVER INVESTIGATIONS INTO ORGANIZED CRIME. HE STATE IT COULD BE POSSIBLY FIFTYTWO AND FIFTYTHREE, BUT HE HAD NO WAY OF VERIFYING IT.

RECORDS, ATLANTA PD, REFLECT NO RECORD FOR JOHNSON.

CREDIT BUREAU RECORDS REFLECT FILE ESTABLISHED AUGUST , SIXTY ONE. NO DEROGATORY INFORMATION. RESIDED FIVE TWO ONE SW SIXTY ST., MIAMI, FLA., SEVENTEEN YEARS PRIOR TO JULY, SIXTYONE.

JOHNSON ADVISED THAT HE UNTIL SUFFERING A HEART ATTACK SEVERAL YEARS AGO WAS A PILOT AND ALSO HAD PART INTEREST IN PLAYBOOK CLUB IN MIAMI, FLA., IN THE EARLY FIFTIES. JOHNSON ALSO AS A PILOT MADE NUMEROUS FLIGHTS OF CARGO FROM MIAMI TO HAVANA, CUBA, BUT STATED HE NEVER PARTICIPATED IN THE SMUGGLING OF ARMS.

HE STATED THAT HE HAD PARTICIPATED IN NIGHT CLUB ACTIVITY IN FLORIDA AND SOME OF HIS ACTIVITIES WOULD TEND TO INCRIMINATE HIM BUT WOULD NOT GO INTO DETAIL. HOWEVER, HE INDICATED THE

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PLAYBOOK CLUB HAD A GAMBLIING CASINO WHICH WAS CLOSED AS A RESULT OF THE KEFAUVER INVESTIGATIONS, AND HE ALSO INDICATED THAT THE COLONIAL CLUB WAS A PLACE WHERE COUNTERFEIT MONEY WAS HANDLED.

SA'S CHARLES S. HARDING AND DANIEL D. DOYLE, WHO INTERVIEWED JOHNSON THIS DATE, FEEL HE MADE ORIGINAL STATEMENTS CONCERNING RUBY AND RUBENSTEIN BEING IDENTICAL BECAUSE OF THE PUBLICITY BEING GIVEN THIS MATTER TO SHOW HIS SELF IMPORTANCE AND TRYING TO STICK WITH THE STORY. HIS WIFE WAS PRESENT DURING PART OF INTERVIEW AND STATED SHE BELIEVED HE WAS MISTAKEN CONCERNING THE IDENTITY OF RUBENSTEIN BUT RELUCTANT TO ADMIT IT. HOWEVER, JOHNSON CONVERSES IN A RATIONAL MANNER AND DOES NOT APPEAR UNSTABLE.

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MIAMI INTERVIEW GOULD AND VOLLMER AND ATTEMPT TO PROVE OR DISPROOVE ALLEGATIONS OF JOHNSON.

JOHNSON WAS SHOWN PHOTOGRAPH OF EDDIE BROWDER FORMER INMATE US PENITENTIARY, ATLANTA, AND STATED EDDIE BROWDER NOT IDENTICAL WITH DONALD EDWARD BROWDER HE KNEW IN FLORIDA.

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